

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICANT : William Ray Higgins
INVENTION : POWER PEDESTAL ASSEMBLY
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EXAMINER : William V. Gilbert
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CONFIRMATION NO. : 1766

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF MAY 14, 2008

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 14, 2008, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire August 14, 2008, and for which a 3 month Petition for Extension of time along with the appropriate fees are filed herewith, kindly amend the above-entitled application as follows, no new matter is added:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.